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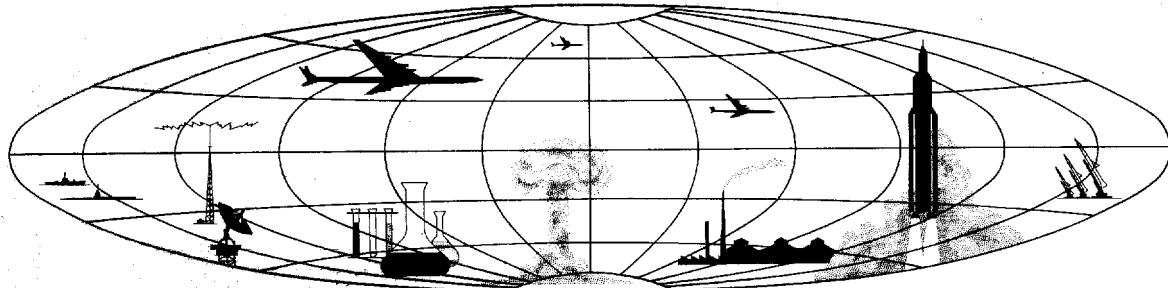


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IMMEDIATE PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION REPORT

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM BRASS KNOB MISSION 3393, DATED 28 JANUARY 1963. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

-MISSILES-

25X1D

BAHIA HONDA SAM SITE 2257N 08317W

SIX MISSILE TRANSPORTERS IN 3 HOLD REVETMENTS, ONE MISSILE TRANSPORTER WITH PRIME MOVER ON PERIMETER ROAD. SCATTERED CLOUDS PRECLUDE FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

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CIENFUEGOS SAM SITE 2202N 08024W

SIX UNREVETTED LAUNCHERS, 4 CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS IN HOLD AREAS. GUIDANCE AREA IS CANVAS COVERED.

25X1D

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-AIRFIELDS-

CAMILO CIENFUEGOS (SANTA CLARA) AIRFIELD 2229N 07955W

AIRCRAFT -- 20 FISHBED AND 7 FAGOT/FRESCO. SCATTERED CLOUDS PRECLUDE FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

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SAN ANTONIO DE LOS BANDOS AIRFIELD 2252N 08231W

AIRCRAFT -- 17 FAGOT/FRESCO, 15 FISHBED, 6 B-26,  
4 CRATE, AND ONE CAB.  
HAZE AND OBLIQUITY PRECLUDE FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

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SAN JULIAN AIRFIELD 2206N 08409W

AIRCRAFT -- NONE.  
NUMEROUS VEHICLES OBSERVED. APPROXIMATELY 21  
UNIDENTIFIED OBJECTS LOCATED AT EAST END OF  
MAINTENANCE AREA ADJACENT TO TAXIWAY.

25X1D

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JOSE MARTI INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD 2300N 08224W

AIRCRAFT -- 2 CONSTELLATION, 4 CRATE, 4 C-54, 3  
BRITANNIA, 4 C-46, ONE CAB, AND ONE COLT. POOR IMAGE  
QUALITY PRECLUDES FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

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PORTS

CIENFUEGOS PORT 2209N 08027W

VESSELS -- 3 PTS, ONE PC, ONE PF, 5 LARGE VESSELS  
(INCLUDING THE SIMFEROPOL).  
NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

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CASILDA PORT 2145N 07959W

NO LARGE VESSELS OR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

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SURGIDERO DE BATABANO NAVAL PORT 2241N 08218W

NO LARGE VESSELS.

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HAVANA PORT 2308N 08221W

VESSELS -- 18 FREIGHTERS, ONE TANKER, 2 COASTAL FREIGHTERS.

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PUNTA GERARDO SECURED PORT FACILITY 2256N 08311W

VESSELS -- NONE OBSERVED.

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MANAGUA, MILITARY INSTALLATION 2258N 08217W

NUMEROUS VEHICLES OBSERVED. SMALL SCALE AND OBLIQUITY PRECLUDE FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

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LOMA DE TIERRA MILITARY CAMP 2301N 08213W

TWO HUNDRED TRUCKS AND 6 TANK RECOVERY TRAILERS OBSERVED. FIFTEEN POSSIBLE ELECTRONIC VANS ARE LOCATED 1. NM TO THE NORTH AT 23-02-[ ]N 082-14-[ ]W.

25X1D

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-UNIDENTIFIED ACTIVITY-

25X1D

SANTA CLARA AREA, MILITARY INSTALLATION 2224N 07953W

TWO BUILDINGS STILL UNDER CONSTRUCTION JUST SOUTH OF SITE.  
CLOUDS PRECLUDE FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

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- STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS -

MISSION 3393 DID NOT COVER TARGETS EAST OF  
75 DEGREES 25 MINUTES WEST LONGITUDE.

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO CHANGE SINCE  
LAST COVERAGE --

25X1D

SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM SITE 1	2240N 08317W
SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM SITE 3	2242N 08308W
SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM SITE 4	2246N 08258W
	2222N 08251W

25X1D

CASILDA, MISSILE EQUIPMENT AREA	2146N 07958W
SANTA LUCIA ALTERNATE SAM SITE	2243N 08349W
LA SIERRA CRUISE-MISSILE SITE	2156N 08019W
MANAGUA AIRFIELD	2258N 08217W
JAIME GONZALES AIRFIELD	2209N 08025W
TRINIDAD AIRFIELD	2147N 07959W
SANTA LUCIA PORT	2240N 08358W
BAHIA HONDA AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2258N 08311W
SAN JOSE DE LAS LAJAS AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2255N 08210W
SANTA CLARA AREA, MILITARY ACTIVITY	2221N 07957W
SPECIAL AREA ALPHA	2258N 08227W
SPECIAL AREA HOTEL	2301N 08246W
SPECIAL AREA BRAVO BLUE	2250N 08233W
SPECIAL AREA BRAVO RED	2254N 08231W
SPECIAL AREA VICTOR	2300N 08234W
SPECIAL AREA TANGO	2258N 08244W
LAS VILLAS AREA OF SPECIAL INTEREST	2146N 07959W
TARARA AREA, LANDING BEACH	2310N 08212W
CIENFUEGOS, LANDING BEACH	2202N 08036W
ENSENADA COLORADO, LANDING BEACH	2202N 08025W
MENDOZA O ISABEL RUBIO, TRANSSHIPMENT POINT	2209N 08405W
MANAGUA, MUNITIONS STORAGE SITE	2258N 08218W

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED  
BUT NOT INTERPRETED --

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REMEDIOS IRBM SITE	2225N 07935W
	2227N 07940W
	2302N 08133W
MATANZAS CITY, LA CUMBRE ALTA	2304N 08133W

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SAN JULIAN AIRFIELD SAM SITE	2205N 08409W
LA COLOMA SAM SITE	2218N 08332W
MATANZAS SAM SITE	2301N 08129W
SAGUA LA GRANDE SAM SITE	2251N 08005W
SANTIAGO DE LAS VEGAS SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2257N 08221W
PINAR DEL RIO SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2221N 08339W
SANTA CRUZ DEL NORTE CRUISE-MISSILE SITE	2309N 08156W
CORONEL PASCUAL AIRFIELD	2307N 08117W
PINAR DEL RIO AIRFIELD	2225N 08341W
CAYO LARGO AIRFIELD	2137N 08133W
CARDENAS PORT	2302N 08112W
MATANZAS PORT	2303N 08134W
LA COLOMA PORT	2214N 08334W
HAVANA AREA, COMMUNICATIONS CENTER	2300N 08226W
PINAR DEL RIO, MILITARY CAMP	2223N 08342W
LA FLORA AREA, MILITARY STORAGE	2252N 08233W
REMEDIOS AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2227N 07934W
SANTIAGO DE LAS VEGAS AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2258N 08220W
TORRENS, MILITARY COMPLEX	2259N 08228W
LIMONAR AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2255N 08124W
MATANZAS, LANDING BEACH	2302N 08126W
SAN FRANCISCO DE PAULA, MUNITIONS STORAGE	2303N 08218W
BEJUCAL MUNITIONS STORAGE SITES	2256N 08223W
LA ROSITA AREA, STORAGE INSTALLATION	2208N 08004W
MANICARAGUA AREA, EXPLOSIVES STORAGE SITE	2206N 07958W
AGUAS CLARAS, PROB MILITARY EQUIPMENT AREA	2213N 08323W
SANTA BRIGIDA, MILITARY ACTIVITY	2304N 08137W

25X1D

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS WERE NOT COVERED, OR  
WERE NOT OBSERVED BECAUSE OF ADVERSE WEATHER  
OR OTHER CONDITIONS --

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GUANAJAY IRBM SITE 1	2257N 08239W
SAGUA LA GRANDE MRBM SITE 1	2243N 08001W
SAGUA LA GRANDE MRBM SITE 2	2239N 07951W
GUANAJAY IRBM SITE 2	2257N 08236W
SANTA LUCIA SAM SITE	2241N 08355W
MARIEL SAM SITE	2300N 08249W
HAVANA SAM SITE	2309N 08213W
CAIBARIEN SAM SITE	2228N 07929W
SANCTI SPIRITUS SAM SITE	2147N 07929W
SIGUANEA SAM SITE	2137N 08257W
DELEITE SAM SITE	2259N 08045W
DELEITE ALTERNATE SAM SITE	2301N 08044W
CIFUENTES SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2236N 08005W
SIGUANEA CRUISE-MISSILE SITE	2137N 08258W
CAMPO FLORIDA CRUISE-MISSILE SITE	2306N 08211W

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GUERRA POSSIBLE CRUISE-MISSILE SITE	2300N 08250W
SIGUANEA AIRFIELD	2138N 08257W
CAMPO LIBERTAD AIRFIELD	2306N 08226W
MARIEL NAVAL AIR STATION	2300N 08246W
PLAYA BARACOA AIRFIELD	2302N 08235W
COLONEL MARTIN MARRERRO AIRFIELD	2150N 08247W
MARIEL PORT	2301N 08245W
NUEVA GERONA PORT	2153N 08248W
LA ISABELA PORT	2256N 08001W
CAIBARIEN PORT	2232N 07928W
CABANAS PORT	2259N 08256W
BAHIA HONDA PORT	2255N 08311W
ARTEMISA, MILITARY CAMP	2251N 08248W
LA BOCA, MILITARY CAMP	2301N 08242W
CABANAS AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2256N 08252W
MINAS, AMMUNITION STORAGE AREA	2307N 08212W
HAVANA, AMMUNITION STORAGE AREA	2301N 08226W
VARADERO, LANDING BEACH	2308N 08118W
PLAYA COLOMBO, LANDING BEACH	2154N 08240W
PLAYA DE FLAMENCOS, LANDING BEACH	2153N 08243W

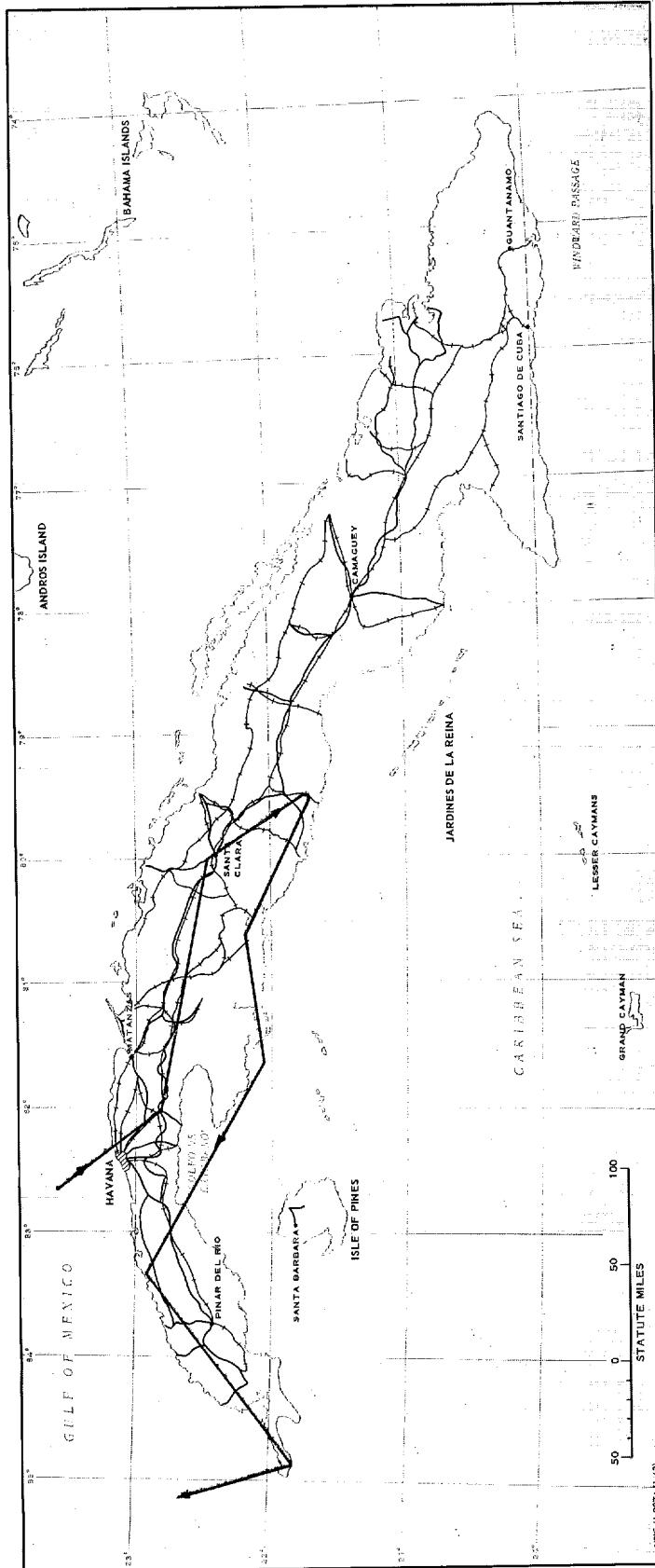
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